

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 3306 - SB 3224**

February 2, 2012

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires the Department of Education (DOE) to develop and recommend to the State Board of Education (SBOE) a modified teacher acceleration model that enables local education agencies to set the frequency and extent of teacher evaluations for teachers who earn a four or five on their observation or growth data and an overall score of four or five in the previous school year. Requires the SBOE to implement the recommended plan or a substantially similar one prior to the 2013-2014 school year. Requires the Commissioner of Education to make a report on the modified evaluation system to the Education Committees of the General Assembly by March 1, 2013.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- The DOE and SBOE will develop a modified teacher evaluation system and report to the General Assembly with existing department staff without an increase in personnel or a reduction in other budget items. Any increase in state expenditures will be not significant.
- Any increase in permissive local expenditures to change the teacher evaluation system will be not significant.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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